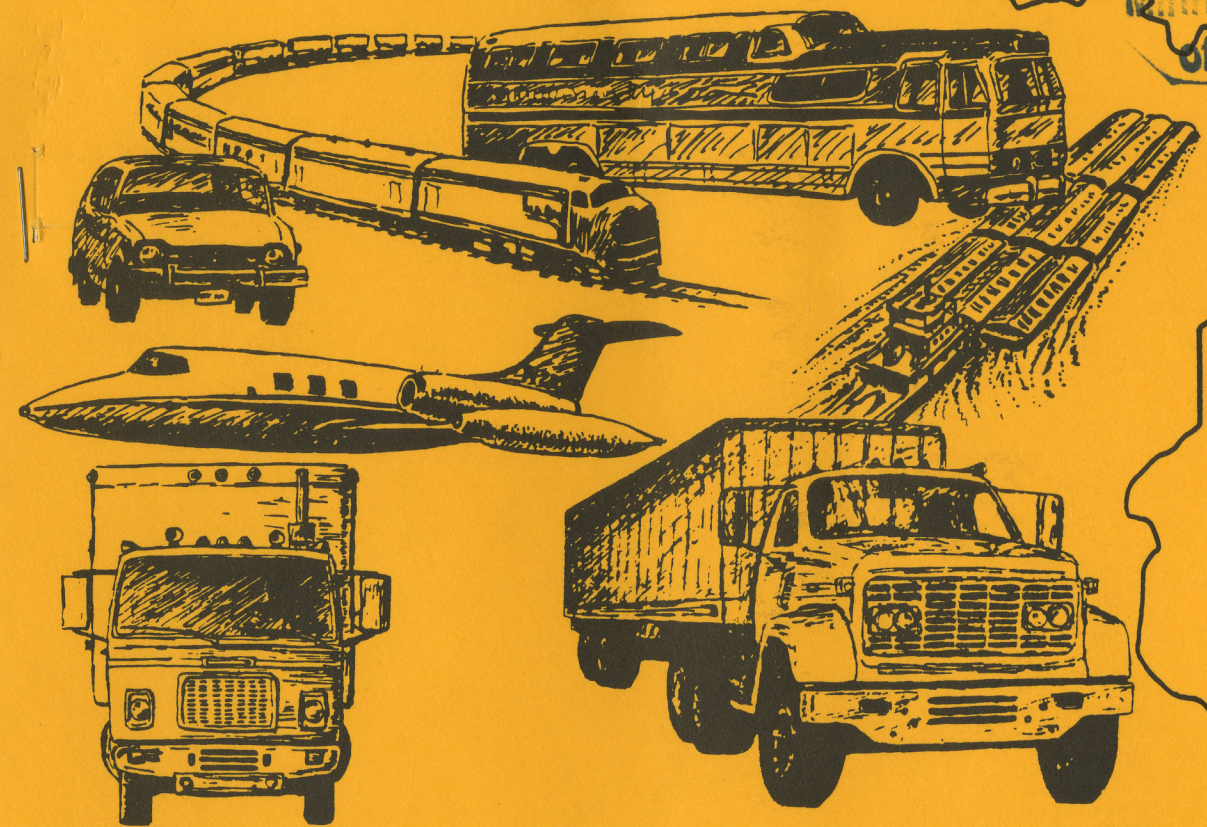




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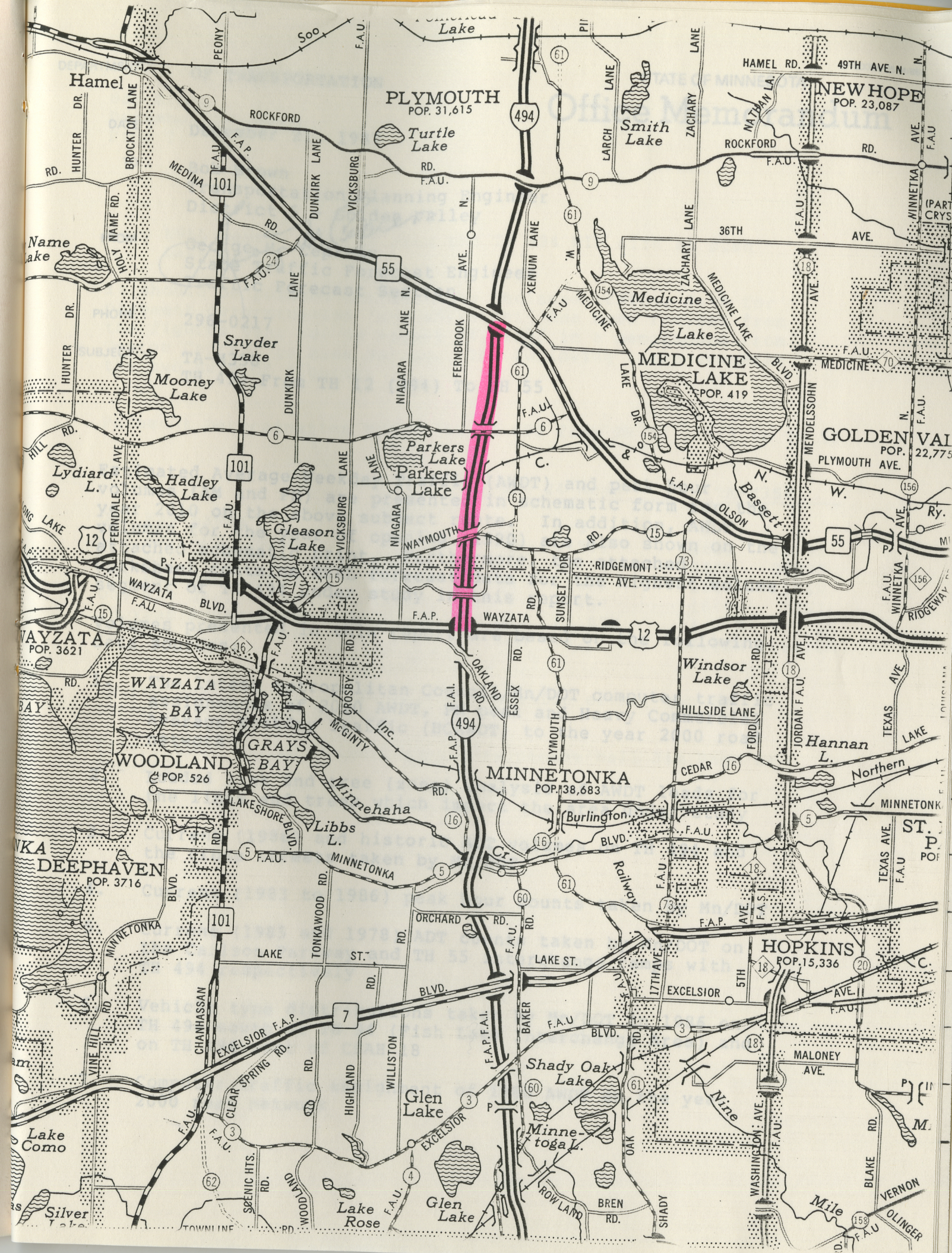


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8. ESAL damage factors from the TH 494 WIM site at Bush Lake Road

It should be pointed out that the enclosed traffic data for pavement determination (see worksheet) has been revised from the figures sent out on August 24, 1987 in a memorandum from George Cepress to Rick Dalton. The following table compares the two sets of figures:

Pavement Determination Values on TH 494 from TH 12 (394) to TH 55

	August 24 Memo		TA-M358	
One Way Lanes	2	3	2	3
One Way ADT (2010)	54500	54500	48600	48600
One Way Design Lane ADT (2010)	49050	38150	48600	34020
One Way TST (2010)	2082	2082	1846	1846
One Way Design Lane TST (2010)	1874	1457	1846	1292
20 Year BESAL (1990-2010)	15.52M	12.07M	14.77M	10.34M
20 Year CESAL (1990-2010)	24.60M	19.13M	23.03M	16.12M

We recommend using the TA-M358 numbers for either two or three lane one way design.

If you have any additional questions please call Jim Page at 296-1626.

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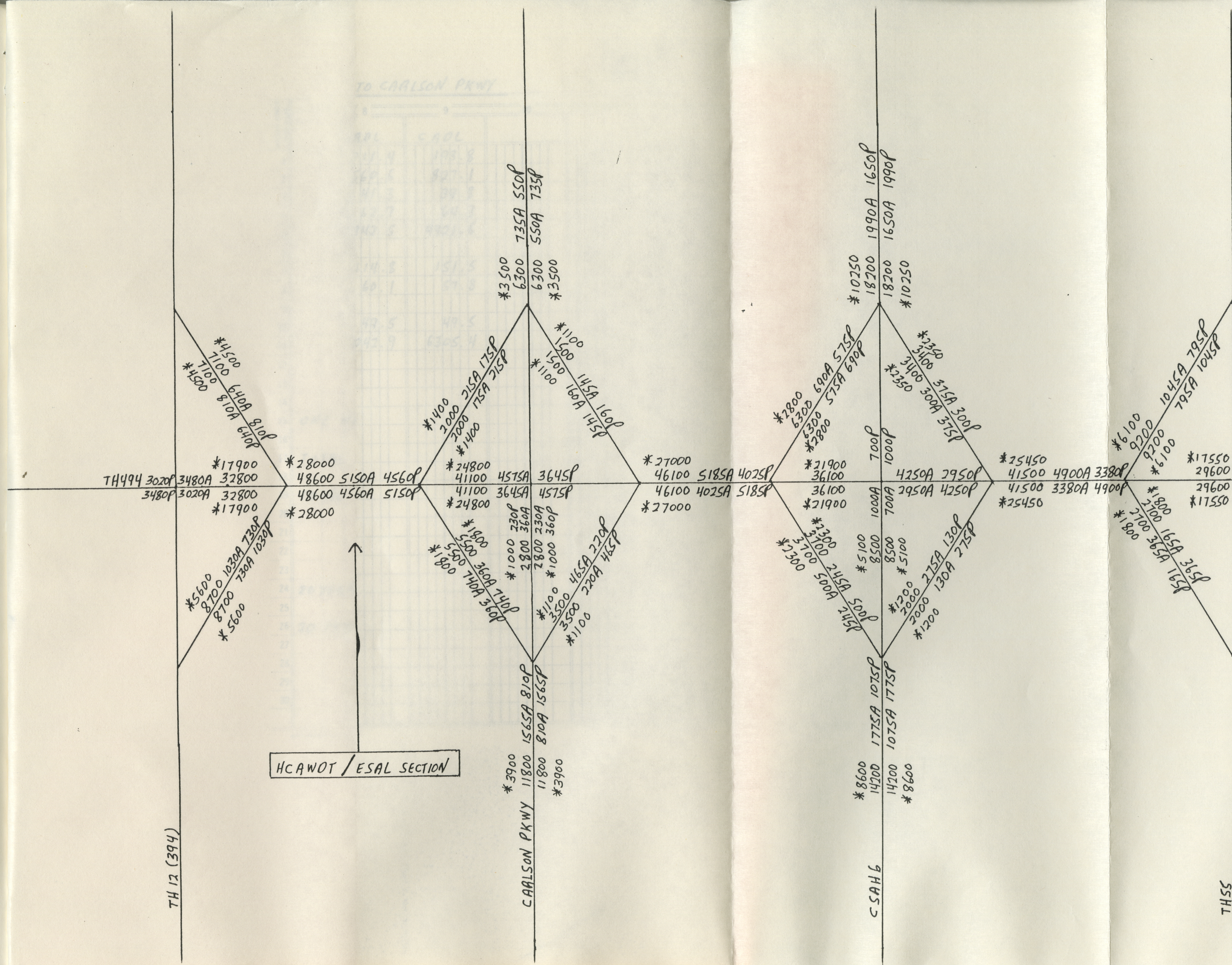
000 - 2010 AWDT

000 - 2010 AM PEAK

000 - 2010 PM PEAK

000 - 1990 AWDT







# WORKSHEET FOR ESAL CALCULATIONS ON TH494 FROM TH12(394) TO CARLSON PKWY

VEHICLE TYPE	1990	2010	2000	PERCENT	2000	BESAL	CESAL	B ADL	C ADL
2 AXLE SU				2.3	1762	.12	.11	211.4	193.8
3 OR 7 AXLE SU				1.2	919	.61	.90	560.6	827.1
3 AXLE TST				.2	153	.27	.26	41.3	39.8
4 AXLE TST				.2	153	.41	.42	62.7	64.3
5 OR 7 AXLE TST				3.4	2604	1.13	1.89	2942.5	4921.6
TOTAL TST				3.8	2910				
TRUCK TRAIL & BUS				.2	153	.75	.99	114.8	151.5
TWIN TRAILER				.1	77	.78	.75	60.1	57.8
TOTAL HC				7.6	5821				
CARS				92.4	70779	.0007	.0007	49.5	49.5
TOTAL	56000	97200	76600	100.0	76600			4042.9	6305.4
ONE WAY TOTAL TST FOR 2010 = $2910 \times 97200 / 76600 \times .5 = 1846$									
TOTAL 20 YEAR BESAL = $4042.9 \times 365.25 \times 20 = 29533385$									
TOTAL 20 YEAR CESAL = $6305.4 \times 365.25 \times 20 = 46060947$									
LANES (DLF)									
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20 YEAR BESAL IN DESIGN LANE	14766693	10336685							
20 YEAR CESAL IN DESIGN LANE	23030474	16121331							